

**MINUTES OF THE
SENATE EDUCATION STANDING COMMITTEE**

Tuesday , February 20, 2018 • 8:00 a.m. • 210 Senate Building

Members Present:

Sen. Lyle W. Hillyard
Sen. Jani Iwamoto
Sen. Howard A. Stephenson

Sen. J. Stuart Adams
Sen. Deidre M. Henderson
President Wayne L. Niederhauser

Members Absent:

Sen. Ann Millner, Chair

Staff Present:

Ms. Karen C. Allred, Committee Secretary
Mr. Nathan W. Brady, Policy Analyst

Note: A copy of related materials and an audio recording of the meeting can be found at www.le.utah.gov.

Acting Chair Hillyard called the meeting to order at 8:11 a.m.

There were no minutes approved.

1 . 1st Sub. H.B. 237 Concurrent Enrollment Enhancements (*Winder, M.*)

Rep. Mike Winder presented the bill.

Dr. Sydnee Dickson, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, Utah State Board of Education, spoke to the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Stephenson moved to pass 1st Substitute H.B. 237 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 3 - 0 - 4 .

Yeas-3

Sen. L. Hillyard
Sen. J. Iwamoto
Sen. H. Stephenson

Nays-0

Absent-4

Sen. J. Adams
Sen. D. Henderson
Sen. A. Millner
Sen. W. Niederhauser

2 . S.B. 127 Reading Software Program Amendments (*Stephenson, H.*)

MOTION: Sen. Stephenson moved to replace S.B. 127 with 1st Substitute S.B. 127. The motion passed with a vote of 3 - 0 - 4 .

Yeas-3

Sen. L. Hillyard
Sen. J. Iwamoto
Sen. H. Stephenson

Nays-0

Absent-4

Sen. J. Adams
Sen. D. Henderson
Sen. A. Millner
Sen. W. Niederhauser

Sen. Howard A. Stephenson presented the bill with the assistance of Ms. Sarah Young, Coordinator for Digital Teaching and Learning, Utah State Board of Education.

MOTION: Sen. Stephenson moved to pass 1st Substitute S.B. 127 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 3 - 0 - 4 .

Yeas-3

Sen. L. Hillyard

Nays-0

Absent-4

Sen. J. Adams

Sen. J. Iwamoto
Sen. H. Stephenson

Sen. D. Henderson
Sen. A. Millner
Sen. W. Niederhauser

3 . S.B. 195 Credit Acceptance by Higher Education Institutions (*Stephenson, H.*)

Sen. Howard A. Stephenson presented the bill with the assistance of Dr. Spencer Jenkins, Assistant Commissioner, Utah System of Higher Education.

Mr. Brad Asay, President, American Federation of Teachers of Utah, spoke in opposition to the bill.

Dr. Spencer Jenkins, Assistant Commissioner, Utah System of Higher Education, spoke to the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Stephenson moved to pass S.B. 195 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 3 - 0 - 4 .

Yeas-3

Sen. L. Hillyard
Sen. J. Iwamoto
Sen. H. Stephenson

Nays-0

Absent-4

Sen. J. Adams
Sen. D. Henderson
Sen. A. Millner
Sen. W. Niederhauser

4 . S.B. 198 Public School Disciplinary Action Amendments (*Anderegg, J.*)

This agenda item was not considered.

MOTION: Sen. Iwamoto moved to adjourn.

Acting Chair Hillyard adjourned the meeting at 9:06 a.m.